The question was put and the motion was adopted.

MOTION OR ELECTION TO THE COMITTEE ON PUBLIC UNDERTAKINGS

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI M. M. JACOB): Madam, I beg to move the following Motion:-

> "That this House concurs in the recommendation of the Lok Sabha that the Rajya Sabha do agree to nominate seven members from Rajya Sabha to associate with the Committee on Public Undertakings of the Lok Sabha for the term beginning on the 1st May, 1989, and do proceed to elect in such manner as the Chairman may direct, seven members from among the members of the House to serve on the said Committee."

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

MOTION FOR ELECTION TO THE COMMITTEE ON THE WELFARE OF SCHEDULED CASTES AND SCHEDULED TRIBES

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI M. M. JACOB): Madam, I beg to move the following Motion:

> "That this House resolves that the Rajya Sabha do join the Committee of both the Houses on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes for the term beginning on the 1st May, 1989, and do proceed to elect, in accordance with the system of proportional representation by means of the single transferable vote, ten members from among the members of the House to serve on the said Committee."

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

RE. ALLEGED MASSACRE ON ASSAM-NAGALAND BORDER

DR. NAGEN SAIKIA (Assam): Madam, Deputy Chairman, I want to make a point about the massacre that has been caused by the Nagaland miscreants in Assam. On 7th April, 1989, some Naga people from the villages of Mukhavi, Hito and Hokai Tio of Nagaland, armed with sub-machine guns and other weapons...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: What is it about?

SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY (Assam): Madam, it is about the massacre of Assamese village people in the Nagaland-Assam border.

DR. NAGEN SAIKIA: They have killed 25 persons, injured 80 persons and burnt down...

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: We are not having any special mention today. When we have special mentions tomorrow, you can make this mention.

SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY: We want a statement from the Union Home Minister.

DR. NAGEN SAIKIA: We want that the Union Home Minister should come forward with a statement in this House about this massacre because they have killed 25 persons and injured 80 persons and 170 dwelling houses... (*Interruptions*)...and about 3000 people were taken into refugee camps. A planned attack was made and therefore, Madam, the Home Minister should come forward with a clear statement in this House as to how the incident took place. (*Interruptions*).

SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY: The massacre has been done...